

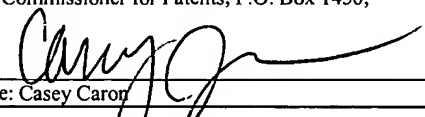


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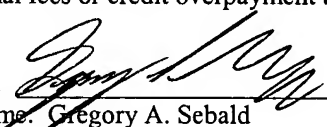
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Dear Sir:

With regard to the above-identified application, the items of information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 are brought to the attention of the Examiner.

This statement should be considered because it is submitted before the mailing date of a first Office Action on-the-merits. Accordingly, no fee is due for consideration of the items listed on the enclosed Form 1449.

A copy of any foreign patent document or "Other Document" listed on the Form 1449 is enclosed, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2). Because this application was filed after June 30, 2003, copies of the U.S. Patents and U.S. patent publications listed on the enclosed Form 1449 are not provided.

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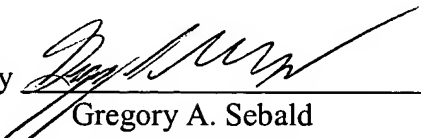
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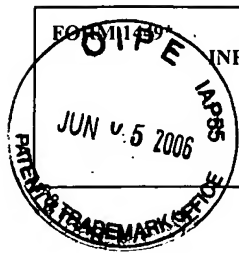
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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	US 5,333,874	8/1994	Arnold et al.			
	US 5,443,260	8/1995	Stewart et al.			
	US 5,649,706	7/1997	Treat, Jr. et al.			
	US 5,768,151	6/1998	Lowy et al.			
	US 5,984,794	11/1999	Miremadi			
	US 2002/0036617 A1	3/2002	Pryor			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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